U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

In the Matter of PATRICIA MARTZ <u>and</u> DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY, ALAMEDA NAVAL AIR STATION, Alameda, Calif.

Docket No. 97-2090; Submitted on the Record; Issued July 15, 1999

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DECISION and **ORDER**

Before DAVID S. GERSON, WILLIE T.C. THOMAS, A. PETER KANJORSKI

The issue is whether the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs properly determined that appellant had no loss of wage-earning capacity based on her actual earnings.

The Board has given careful consideration to the issue involved, the contentions of appellant on appeal and the entire case record. The Board finds that the decision of the hearing representative of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated December 2, 1996 is in accordance with the facts and the law in this case and hereby adopts the findings and conclusions of the Office hearing representative.

The decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs dated December 2, 1996 is hereby affirmed.

Dated, Washington, D.C. July 15, 1999

David S. Gerson Member

Willie T.C. Thomas Alternate Member

A. Peter Kanjorski Alternate Member